

## I. AMENDMENTS

### AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please also amend the Specification at page 28, paragraph [0098], as follows:

Twenty patients with normalized CT for estrogen receptor (ER)  $[[< 1.6]] \leq 0$  (i.e., ER negative patients) were subjected to separate analysis. A t test was performed on the two groups of patients classified as either no recurrence and no breast cancer related to death at three years, or recurrence or breast cancer-related death at three years, and the p-values for the differences between the groups for each gene were calculated. Table 3 lists the genes where the p-value for the differences between the groups was  $<.118$ . The first column of mean expression values pertains to patients who neither had a metastatic recurrence nor died from breast cancer. The second column of mean expression values pertains to patients who either had a metastatic recurrence of or died from breast cancer.--